



Parish Pastoral Unit Abbeyfeale, Athea, Templeglantine, Tournafulla Mountcollins

Clocks Fall Back

27th Oct 2019

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Intentions for this weekend

- 6.30pm** Noreen Daly, Ballybehy Month Mind
Patrick Nash, Knocknasna 1st Anniv.
Margaret & William Meehan and their daughter Catherine Main street
Tom Lou Ahern, Shanbally and deceased family members
- 9.15am** Jacques Collins & Jim Collins & Rebecca Leahy & Joan Griffin
Tommy & Delia Nelligan & Mary Nelligan
- 12noon** Connie Healy, The Hill Anniv.
Denny, Nora and Mary Patrick Lane, Caherlane

Mass Intentions for the week

- Mon 7pm** Private Intention
Maurice & Denis Collins and parents The Hill
- Tues 10am** Patrick McCarthy recently deceased
- Wed 10am** Pro Populo
- Wed 7pm** Jamie McCoy 1st Anniv.
- Thurs 10am** John Griffin Anniv.
- Thurs 7pm** All Saints
- Fri 10am** All Saints
- Fri 7pm** All Souls
- Sat 11am** All Souls

Intentions for next weekend

- 6.30pm** Bill, Bridget & John Joe Collins the Hill Anniv.
Noreen Flynn, Mountmahon Anniv.
James & Bridget McEnery, Kilconlea Upper Anniv.
Kevin Downes, Grove Crescent Anniv.
- 9.15am** Billy Harnett, Dromtrasna Anniv.
Peter O'Connell, Purt Anniv.
Kathleen O'Connor, Mountmahon Anniv.
Eileen & Patrick Roche, Bridge Street Anniv.
- 12noon** Johnny Lane, Kilconlea Upper Anniv.
Bridget & Patrick Cleary Main Street & Birmingham Anniv.

Abbeyfeale Parish Bereavement Mass will be celebrated on 22nov at 7pm. Olive Foley will speak on loss and bereavement. Names of relatives from outside the parish, and bereaved since last November should be submitted to the Sacristy during the coming fortnight. Tel 068/51915 during Mass times.

Youth Service collection this weekend at all Masses

Graveyard Collection next weekend
Prayers at the 3 graveyards on Nov 3rd

ABBEYFEALE PARISH CHURCH:

Fr Tony Mullins PP 087/2600414. Fr Brendan Duggan 087/0562674. Fr Denis Mullane 087/2621911.
Fr Shoji Varghese 089/4431922
Parish Church 068/51915. Parish Office; Open 11:00 – 1:00 p.m.
Tues. - Fri. (068) 31133
Email: fealechurch@eircom.net

Together We are Mission (Thank You)

Thank you for your prayers and generosity towards World Mission Sunday last weekend. Your kindness means so much. It will help missionaries and struggling communities to form and sustain communities of hope and faith. Please know that your continued kindness towards World Mission Sunday makes transformative differences in the lives of people who are suffering. Thank you. You can still support World Mission Sunday! Text the word 'Mission' to 50300 to donate €4. (Texts cost €4. World Mission Ireland will receive a minimum of €3.60. Service Provider: Like Charity. Helpline: 076 680 5278. Republic of Ireland only.) You can also donate online at www.wmi.ie donate. World Missions Ireland, the Church's charity for overseas mission, is responsible for the coordination of Mission Month. Go to www.wmi.ie to learn more about their work.

Ministry to Children and Young People

The Diocese of Limerick and the parish of Abbeyfeale actively promotes the welfare of children and encourages their participation in the life of the Church. All children have a fundamental right to be respected, nurtured, cared for and safeguarded; this right is embedded in Gospel values, best practice guidelines and international and domestic laws. *The National Board for Safeguarding Children in the Catholic Church in Ireland* has developed comprehensive safeguarding standards which are designed to support best practice in providing safe environments and child protection procedures. All priests and every person holding an appointment from or within the Diocese or in a parish, or volunteering within Diocesan/parish structures must adhere to these policies and procedures and act at all times to create safe environments for children and ensure that all concerns are responded to appropriately.

An information meeting on all Church Safeguarding Standards will be held in Abbeyfeale parish on the evening of Wednesday 27th November.

We ask all church volunteers to note this date.

The venue and time of the meeting will be announced later.

This is what Saint John Henry Newman wrote:

“God has created me to do Him some definite service. He has committed some work to me which He has not committed to another. I have my mission. I may never know it in this life, but I shall be told it in the next. I am a link in a chain, a bond of connection between persons. He has not created me for naught. I shall do good; I shall do His work. I shall be an angel of peace, a preacher of truth in my own place, while not intending it if I do but keep His commandments.

Extract from Bishop Brendan's letter last Sunday

Parent Support worker at the parish office Tel 086/3514700 for an appointment.

Michael English to sing in Abbeyfeale

St Ita's Hall

St Ita's Hall is a very important resource centre for the parish and the wider community. From September to June up to 170 people from a variety clubs and organisations in the parish have use of the hall weekly. These include the Wednesday Ladies Club, Parents and Toddlers Group, Abbeyfeale Youth Club, Crafty Corner and Feale Crafts, Creative Writing Group, Abbeyfeale Drama Group, Pastoral Council, Health & Well-Being Courses, Social Health and Educational projects, Fleadh by the Feale, Red Cross, Legion of Mary, Fundraising Coffee Mornings. West Limerick Resources have a fulltime office based in the centre. A fundraising concert in support of the ongoing maintenance of the hall will take place on Friday 6th of December. Singer and musician Michael English will give a Christmas themed Concert in Our Lady of the Assumption Church. All funds raised at this concert will go towards the running of St Ita's Hall. Tickets are on sale at Ann Lyons, Moss Harnett's, O'Donoghue's Spar, Kathleen's Foodstore, Twohigs Super Valu, The Coffee Pot, St Ita's Hall, Pat Buckley's, Templeglantine PO, Parish office in Listowel, Shop in Duagh, Zip Yard in NCW, and at the church in Abbeyfeale.

You can also book tickets on our special ticket sales line **089 4356981.**

Book your tickets early not to be disappointed

GLÓRACH CONCERTS: On Sunday, 27th October we host **SEAN KEANE**, and his band, making his 3rd visit to Glórach. And, on Friday, 1st November we host **LUKA BLOOM**, Christy Moore's more famous brother!. Tel: 0871383940, email: glorachabbeyfeale@gmail.com

Meenkilly Card Game: Breastcare Unit Fundraiser

The card game will commence on Tuesday 29th October at 9pm (sharp). All proceeds on the night will be donated to Breastcare Unit, Limerick University Hospital. Plenty of spot prizes on the night. Looking forward to seeing all the regular (and new) card players on the night. The weekly card game is a very important fundraiser for the school and over the years it has contributed hugely to the resources enjoyed by the pupils.

Youth Retreat: Youth 2000 have organised a retreat at St Brendan's College, Killarney, on the weekend of the 1st to the 3rd November. Young people (16 to 35 years) are welcome to this retreat which is a three-day event filled with music, talks, friends, prayer and craic. Come along to meet some new young people and experience your faith in a new and amazing way. ID required/donation only/book online at www.youth2000.ie email office@youth2000.ie

ARIES: Advancing Recovery in Ireland Education Service serving the Mid West region. If you have an interest in mental health, well-being and recovery, please make a note of our free workshops in St. Ita's Community Hall, Convent St., Abbeyfeale, on Thursday 28th November and 5th December from 2pm – 5pm. To book a place contact Mike O'Neill on 085-8768517 or at michael.oneill8@hse.ie. For more information visit www.hse.ie/mwaries

Glórach Theatre, Abbeyfeale invite An Garda Síochána and members of the community to an evening discussion on **crime Prevention, Healthy Relationships / Wellbeing & Farm Security At Glórach Theatre, Abbeyfeale, Co. Limerick on Wednesday 13th November 2019 at 7.30pm**

CSMT Community Substance misuse team Fee and Confidential

For under 18's and their families impacted by Substance Misuse Droop in service Abbeyfeale First Wed of the month from 2.30pm—5pm Venue St Ita's Hall Contact Kirsteen Laing for further details on 086/4141854

Make a Difference (MAD) Sunday 27th October 2019 – #MADSunday

It's a day on which we are encouraging young and not so young, groups or individuals, parents & children, clubs & societies, families & friends, politicians & teachers, ... to look out for others and make a small difference in their home, community, school, parish, etc..

To consciously do at least one simple act of kindness

WHY Because it is the essence of our Gospel Message

Don't underestimate the inspiration you are and the Difference that you make!!

“Love cannot survive if you just give it scraps of yourself, scraps of your time, scraps of your thought.”

Mary O'Hara

ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE:

Fire Fall-Charismatic Prayer Meeting every Monday 7.30pm. **AA Open Public Meeting:** Wed. 30th Oct. 8.30pm

Growing as Followers of Jesus Christ: Dr. Jessie Rogers, Sat. 16th Nov. & Sat. 7th Dec. 10am-2pm.

Remembrance Mass for our Bereaved: Fr. Donal O'Connor, Tues. 19th Nov. 7.30pm.

Listening to the word of God - Experiencing Life in all it's Abundance: Fr. Patsy Kelly MSC, Sat. 23rd Nov. 10am-2pm.

Bookings are essential-Contact: 0667134276